

## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

## INFORMATION REPORT

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1. Changes in the Plant

- a. The electric furnace building department has been removed from the plant. It is not known if it still belongs to Siemens-Planitz administratively or not.
- b. Insulating compound is not being produced at present.

2. Arrivals of Raw Materials

<u>Raw Materials</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Origin</u>	
Coke	500 tons	Espenhain	
Coke	700 "	USSR	
Coke	260 "	Ostrava, Czechoslovakia	
Coke	150 "	Rumania	
Coke	100 "	Goelzau	
No. 85 Pitch	400 "	East Germany	
Soot	600 "	Rumania	
Pitch and tar	200 "	Various unspecified countries	
Soot	80 "	Wegelin	
Electrographite	74 "	Not known	25X1

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3. Production Deliveries

<u>Product</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Tamping clay (Stampfmasse)	500 tons	Rumania
" "	260 "	Czechoslovakia
Graphite electrodes	1,000 "	USSR, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Poland

Deliveries of other products were not known

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4. Orders

- a. Cement for binding carbon bricks in blast furnaces.
- b. Tamping clay (Stampfmasse), for Hungary.
- c. Carboritsteine for improvement of steel, for East Germany.
- d. Various compositions for the improvement of anodes.
- e. Various substances.

5. Miscellaneous Information

- a. On 10 February 1954, Walter Ulbricht spoke in the Siemens-Plania Cultural Recreation House in praise of Molotov's proposal for a "Collective Europe".
- b. Individual combat groups ("K.G.") of the Party within factories are to be armed in the near future. They will be given distinctive clothes for the performance of certain tasks. About 40 men belong to the Factory Combat Group of the Siemens-Plania plant. How they will be armed is not yet known.

1 Comment: Werkkampfgruppe.

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